THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

The Texas Outrages Again Brought Up in the Senate.

THE DAKOTA BILL IN THE HOUSE The Senate Amondments to the Big Ap-

propriation Bill Rejected. COMPILING THE LOCAL LAWS.

The President's message disapprov-

to the Cherokee Central Railroad Com

pany through the Indian Territory, and to the Jamestown and Northern Rail-read Company through the Devil's Lake Indian reservation were reported and placed on the calendar.

An adverse report was made on House bill for the allotment of lands in severalty to the Indians on the Oneida reser-

vation in Wisconsin. Calendar.

An amendment to the resolution reported from the Committee on Privi-leges and Elections was offered by Mr.

Morgan.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Hoar, which was agreed to, directing the Secretary of the Treasury to transmit to the Senate forthwith certified copies of all the sworn testimony in regard to alleged fraud and undervaluation in the New York Custom House taken by Sreedal Agent Byrne.

special Agent Byrne.

In explanation of the resolution Mr. Hoar stated—that a violent attack had been made in a New York paper on the Secretary of the Treasury and on Special Agent Byrne. He said the attack had been supported by affidavits of discharged public officers, and the affidavits were said to be in condict. affidavits were said to be in conflict with the affidavits presented by the special agent and led on by the Secre-

House bill to secure a compilation of the laws of the District of Columbia was taken from the calendar and passed with smendments, and a conference

Mr. Wilson of Iowa addressed the Senate in support of Mr. Frye's bil relating to imported liquors. At the conclusion of his remarks the

resolution for the investigation of the Texas election outrages was taken up and Mr. Coke addressed the Senate at great length.

HOUSE.

The Senate bill was passed, on mo tion of Mr. Rogers of Arkansas, providing for writs of error to the United States Supreme Court in all cases involving the question of the jurisdiction

of the court below.

Senate amendments, on motion of Mr. Forney of Alabama were non-concurred in to the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill, and Messrs. Forney, Randall and Cannon were ap-

pointed conferrees.

Mr Peel of Arkansas called up the bill to divide a portion of the Sioux reservation in Dakota into separate reservations and to secure the relinquishment of the Indian title to the remain-

rejected, and the bill was passed.

Mr. Sayres of Texas reported back the Fortification Appropriation bill with Senate amendments, and asked for its present consideration, but on a point of order it was referred to the Committee of the Whole. The conference report on the Senate

bill for the admission of the State of South Dakota was called up by Mr. Springer. The report, which reports a total disagreement, was agreed to. Mr. Springer moved that the House insist on its amendments and ask for another

The motion having been agreed to,
Mr. Baker of New York offered a resolution giving the House conferrees instructions as follows:
First. To exclude the Territory of

New Mexico from the bill.

Second. To amend the bill so as to provide for the admission of South Dakota by proclamation of the President under the Sioux Falls constitution, to be resubmitted to the people of South Dakota with provision for a new election of State and federal officers and without a new vote on the question of division.
Third. That the proposed States of

North, Dakota, Montana and Washington shall be admitted on the same basis, either all by proclamation of the President or all by formal acts of ad-

Mr. Cox of New York offered a sub stitute, differing only from the Baker proposition in that it provides for the admission of North Dakota, Montana and Washington by proclamation of the President.

The Ways and Means Committee.

The House Committee on Ways and Means did not hold a meeting this morning but will hold one on Saturday. At tha time Mr. Mills expects to have the report and bill ready to present to the House. The Republican members of the committee have been furnished with the report prepared by the Democratic members in order to allow them to prepare a report. The sentiment among Republican members, however, is adverse to preparing a report and the among Republican members, however, is adverse to preparing a report and the probability is that the Republicans will pre-pare no report but control themselves with a simple note attached to the majority reort, disagreeing with the findings of the

Compiling the District Laws.

The Senate to-day passed the bill author appoint a commission of two members to appoint a commission of two members to make a compilation of the laws of the District. Mr. Sherman objected to the passage of the bill at first on the ground that in the past such compilation had proved worthless, as they had not been recognized as law. The objection to the pending bill was explained away, however, and the bill was passed. The measure, having already passed the House, now goes to conference, and will in all probability having already passed the House, now goe to conference, and will in all probability

Timber on Indian Lands. Indian Commissioner Oberly appeared this morning before the special committee

of the Senate, which has been for some time investigating the cutting of timber on Indian reservations. There were present of the committee Senators Chandler, Platt Cullom and Blackburn. The Alleged Texas Outrages.

In the Senate to-day Mr. Morgan pro-posed an amendment to Mr. Everte' resolu-tion relating to Texas outrages as follows

Anacid by adding to the resolution the fol-lewing: "Said committee shall so frame the legislation they may recommend under this resolution that it shall not apply to any State whose constitution and laws re-lating to elections of Senators or Members of the House of Representatives provide ample security for the honest ex-ercise of the right of qualified electors to vote, for the just and impartial counting and returns of the votes cast at such elec-tions, and for the just, impartial and true ascertainment and certification of the re-sults of such elections, and in which State these requirements have been honestly com-piled with."

Exciting Scenes in the House. The closing hour of the debate over th smalls-Elliott case in the House yesterlay was marked by a scene of the greatest confusion and disorder, finally becoming The President's message disapproving of bills granting pensions to Frank
D. Worcester and Michael Shawn was presented and referred in the Senate today.

Mr. Stewart's resolution heretofore offered for a select committee of seven Senators on irrigation and reclamation of arid lands was agreed to.

Senate wills granting the right of way to the Cherokee Central Railroad Com-

The Dismat Swamp Canal. The Senate to-day agreed to a resolution nstructing the Commerce Commission to consider the question of purchasing the Dismal Swamp Canal in Virginia and North Carolina.

Senator Edmunds said to-day that the re-port of the Congressional Committee invesigating the aqueduct tunnel would be made at the last of this week or the first of

Pay for Working Over Time. The Secretary of the Treasury to-day transmitted to the House a communication from Sixth Auditor McConville, submitting a petition from clerks in his office asking compensation for time worked over hours.

The Panama Resolution. The House Foreign Affairs Committee will hold a meeting at 4 o'clock this after-noon to consider the Edmunds Panama

The Sundry Civil Bill. The Subcommittee of the Senate Appro priations Committee had under considera-tion this morning the Sundry Civil bill,

The Cowles Bill. At the meeting of the House Committee on Appropriations to-day the Cowles bill to repeal the tax on tobacco was taken up and discussed.

Mr. Colman's Nomination Confirmed The Senate yesterday confirmed the commation of Norman J. Colman to be decretary of Agriculture.

Capitol Notes. The Senate Committee on Military Affairs postponed its regular meeting to-day out of respect to the late General Hunt. The Senate Inauguration Committee held nother meeting to-day.

LATE DEPARTMENT NEWS.

VIEWED WITH CONCERN.-The U. S. Consul-General at Berlin has transmitted to the State Department a translation of an article in the National Zeitung relative to the Ford Immigration

bill. The Consul-General states that it is evident that the measure is viewed in Berlin with much concern in political as well as national economic circles as foreshadowing changes which eventu-ally may lead to a total reform in the matter of European emigration to the United States.

STEEL FOR THE VESSELS.—The steel

manufacturers and naval officers who held a conference at the Navy Department Tuesday to consider what localities present the best facilities for the building of United States vessels, and also to consider the best modes of conducting tests of steel, have prepared a report which recommends but few changes from the present methods employed in regard to these matters. The report has not yet been submitted to the Secretary.

BILLS APPROVED. -The President has approved the act for a public building at Sedalia, Mo.; the act to extend to the Port of Sault St. Marie, Mich., the privileges of inland transportation in bond, and the act to amend the Choctaw Coal and Railway Company bill.

THE MONADNOCK CONTRACTS .- Conracts for materials to be used in constructing the United States monitor Monadnock at the Mare Island Navy-Yard have been awarded by the Secre-Tard have been awarded by the Secretary of the Navy as follows: A. Powell, New York, white ash, \$2,720; Park Bros. & Co., Pittsburg, steel plates, \$4,835, and steel plate for turret, \$8,104; William Walker, Valligo, Cal., bushes, \$19,989 umber, \$19,262.

INSPECTING THE ELECTRIC LIGHTS. -Captain Bradley made an inspection to-day of the electric lights in the Interior Department. There are 850 at present in operation; 250 more will com-plete the plant. They will be finished by the 1st proximo. The lights are working well and are up to the full candle power.

POSTOFFICES ESTABLISHED. - Post offices were established in Virginia today as follows: Buckeye, Highland County, David B. Wade, and Maler's Augusta County, Robert N. Gaw, sr.,

THE CABINET MEETING .- All the members of the Cabinet were present at the meeting to-day.

To-DAY'S BOND OFFERINGS .- Bond offerings to-day aggregated \$580,200, as follows: 4s, \$1,000 and \$500 at 129; \$500 at 129; and \$500,000, \$40,000, \$37,500 and \$500 4; at 109;.

STOREKEEPERS AND GAUGERS.-The Secretary of the Treasury to-day appointed the following storekeepers and gaugers: Edward M. Duncan, Lexing-ton, Ky.; George W. Gastencau, Glades, Ky., and Robert H. McCalla, Hamil-

PAYMASTER DOYLE'S CASE. - The board appointed last week by Secretary Whitney to examine Paymaster Doyle for retirement met at the Navy Depart. ment this morning, but owing to the absence of Captain Perkins, a member of the board, an adjournment was taken until to-morrow.

RECEIVED FOR REDEMPTION .- The National Bank notes received to-day by the United States Treasurer for redemption amounted to \$266,074.

The Badger Game.

Jennie Brown and W. H. Morrison, who came here from Chicago some weeks ago and have been playing the badger game in a house ou Twelfth street, near F, have been arrested. The man was photographed at Police Headquarters to-day.

HOTEL ARNO is the fluest in the city

FISTER MUST TESTIFY.

Investigation of the Supervising Architect's Office.

THE CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS.

The Assistant Chief Clerk Will Not Satisfy the Committee.

RIGOROUS STEPS WILL BE TAKEN.

The Senate Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to-day continued the investigation into the conduct of the office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department, Thomas D. Fister, assistant chief clerk in the Architect's office, was the first witness. He said he had selected most of the public buildings within the last three years. The site at Worcester, Mass., was selected by him. It cost the Government \$75,000. The original offer was \$176,810. There was a great deal of strife about the selection of the

CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS. Senator Spooner questioned the witness closely about the contributions to campaign funds by employes of the Treasury Department, but he steadily refused to answer the questions put to him. Under a general request from Senator Pasco for a statement of his knowledge on the subject, however, he said that he had never solicited any contributions in the Treasury Department. He knew that circulars had been received from the committees of both parties, and he produced a letter re-ceived from the Republican Commit-

Senator Spooner renewed some of his questions and announced that he had not abandoned them, but he proposed to have them answered if the Senate could compel him to answer them. Colonel Fister stated that in refusing to answer these questions he was not acting under the advice of any official in the Treasury

Department.
Senator Daniel coming in, the testimony was read to him. He asserted the point of the right of the committee to ask questions about campaign contributions, and the committee went into ex-ecutive session to discuss the question.

WILL PRERET ON THE STAND. At the conclusion of the executive session Will Freret, the son of the Supervising Architect, was put on the stand. He explained the circumstances of going into the Supervising Architect's office and the work he had done on the plans for the Ottumwa building. SOME QUESTIONABLE DEALS.

Joseph A. Groves, a draughtsman in the office, said that he had done work on the Duluth building plans. Mr. Inneman had the contract, and he was to get \$5 a day for the time he was to put in on the plans if he did any of the work; otherwise, he would charge \$25 for the use of his name. The contract was for \$1,100. When the sketch plans were submitted they were rejected.

jected.
. Mr. Linneman then asked to be released from the contract, and that a new contract be made to furnish the sketch

upon him by Mr. Kinkel for a cam-paign contribution. He had contributed

Morrill, the witness said that he thought he could do as good work in the evening as in the day for a short period, but the double work, he thought, would be exhausting eventually.

At the conclusion of Mr. Groves' testimony the committee adjourned.

amittee has determined that Colonel Fister must answer the ques-tions about campaign contributions. Unless he answers them, the matter will be reported to the full committee and the President of the Senate asked for an order for his arrest. The punishment provided by statute is imprisonment for one to twelve months and a fine of \$100

AN ALLEGED "FENCE."

Edward Stolpe Explains How He Ob tained the Stolen Jewelry.

Edward Stolpe, the German silverplater, who was arrested by Officers Carter and Burrows on the charge of receiving stolen goods, took the stand in he Police Court to-day to explain in broken English how he came to buy over a hundred dollars' worth of jewelry for \$4.50. The jewelry had been stolen from Alice Downman, Martha Abbot and Sophie Webster of Georgetown. A quantity of opaque yellow metal was

This was jewelry belonging to the ladies, who were compelled to come into court to prosecute the case. A silver card case was still intact, and was identified by Miss Abbott as her property. Some of the pieces were valued erty. Some of the pieces were valued as heirlooms. The earrings and bracelets were broken when he got them, he said, and he could not tell exactly what they were. He paid for them strictly by weight. For the card case he gave eighty-five cents. The lady who owned it said it was worth \$40. He stated that the man who brought the stuff was a light mulatto, but could give no description of him.
"I took no photograph of him," he

The mulatto said that he found the card case, and that the jewelry was the property of a lady at whose house he was employed. She had broken it so that it might not be known whose jewelry was being sold in this manner. It was customary, he said, to buy jewelry in this manner. He had bought it as old metal by the pennyweight.

Mr. Henry Semken testified that old

metal was purchased by the penny-weight. As to character, he had always considered Stolpe a hard-working, honorable man.

He had sold the card case for \$1.50. Judge Miller said that while there were numerous suspicious circumstances

there was not enough evidence to hold

A bill in Equity was filed to-day by R. Ross Perry, in which Charles H. Davis, A.

A District Lien Opposed.

St. C. Denver and S. W. Selfridge, naming St. C. Denver and S. W. Selfridge, naming the District as the defendant, ask for an injunction to prevent the enforcement of a lien, and that an assessment of property in square 159 be set aside. They state that they purchased the property relying on the entries in the tax books, indicating that no tax was due. They claim that this assessment is covered by those entries. PLACES FOR EIGHT.

Current Gossip Regarding the Next The belief among local Cabine

guessers that is gaining ground most rapidly is that the Treasury portfolio lles between Windom an! Foster, a trifle nearest to Foster.

Though on the merits of the case Windom would seem to have the better chance because of his better qualifica-tions, still it has been assured all along that this portfolio would go to a West-ern man, a man more nearly identified with the West and its interests than Mr.

Windom has for some time been.

The Camerons and other influential
men in the East and in California are using their influence in favor of Thomas of Illinois for the Navy portfolio, but there is a vigorous opposition which may put him out of the race. Governor Rusk, the Wisconsin war-

rior, is looming up more and more in his siege to the War Secretaryship. His friends attract more friends and ad-mirers by their very determination, and his chances seem to improve as others' wane.
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Alison's choice, Hon. John B. Henderson, for the Attorney-Generalship,
is another of the promising guesses.
And Mr. Platt has spoken. He says:
"I wish to say positively, and you can
quote me as authority for the statement,
that James G. Blaine has been offered and has accepted the position of Secre-tary of State. This was accomplished some time ago by correspondence. I not care to stand as authority for any statement I may make beyond the in-formation about Blaine, which is abso-

lutely true."

Mr. Platt went on to say that it was almost a certainly that John Wanamaker would be either Secretary of the Navy or Postmaster-General, though his chances are considered the better for the latter office. the latter office. Mr. Platt thinks that it is doubtful if

even Mr. Harrison has made up his alate From Indianapolis comes the sur-From Indianapolis comes the surmise that General Harrison has been holding back the Cabinet appointments until after the electoral vote, and therefore it is anticipated that several important letters containing Cabinet tenders will leave there in a very few days. It was unusually quiet there all day yesterday, and callers were few, but there is one whose advent, it is guessed, may cause some Cabinet-slate smashing.

Chairman J. N. Huston of the Re-publican State Committee was in con-ference with the General for over an hour, and left for his home at Connersville in an unusually happy frame of mind. Whether the chairman received an invitation to become a member of the President's official family cannot be learned, but his long talk with General Harrison is regarded as having con-

siderable significance. THE DISTRICT GOVERNMENT.

RESDENT ASSESSORS WANTED .- A ommittee composed of Messrs. Thomas W. Smith, S. C. Clarke and Hawkins Taylor, from Citizens' Association, No. 3, waited on the Commissioners to-day in reference to House bill 11,957, "to levy an assessment on real estate in the District of Columbia for the purpose of taxation." This bill provides for the appointment of assessors, and it contains a clause to strike out the provision of the law requiring that the assessors contract be made to furnish the sketch
plans alone for \$300. On this latter
contract Linneman would get \$50 or
\$60.

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Mr. Groves testified to re missioners. They were requested to put their views on the subject in writing and submit them to the board for action, which they promised to do.

AN ANNOYANCE ABATED. - Rear Admiral Hughes of 1614 Ninth street complained to the Commissioners re cently that the dropping of dirt from carts passing his house caused a nuis-ance that should be looked after by the police. The complaint was sent to Major Moore, who reports that he has instructed his men to keep a close look-out for the offenders.

IMPROVING N STREET EXTENDED. The proposition of Ed. Dougherty to deposit 5,000 cubic yards of earth on N street extended, at ten cents per cubic yard, has been accepted.

STREET RAILWAY CROSSINGS .- Mr George Truesdell has notified the Commissioners that the Eckington and Sol diers' Home Railway Company will replace all street crossings or flag-walks removed by them. The Columbia and Belt Line railroad companies have been ordered to put into better condition the crossing at Fourth street and Massachu setts avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS. - Attorney Riddle has ruled that the five-year guarantee bond of contractors does not apply to repairs on street work. The Washington and Georgetown Railroad Company refused to pay H. L. Cran-ford for paving the two-foot strip along their tracks on Pennsylvania avenue, between Nineteenth and Twenty-third streets, and they gave as one reason for refusing that the work was not guar

anteed for five years.
Superintendent Miles of the District telegraph service has investigated the complaint of M. R. Goddard of 1222 Thirteenth street, to the effect that a telephone pole is in such close contact with his house that when the wind blows the pole vibrates and damages the house. Mr. Miles reports that he can find no ground for complaint, as the pole is not too close to the house. Private J. P. Crawford has resigned from the police force.

THE COURT RECORD.

EQUITY COURT—Justice Cox.—O'Leary vs. O'Leary; sale finally ratified; swlitor's report continued. Dulaney vs. Dulaney; pro confesso vs. Robert H. Ward granted. Glascott vs. Glascott; testimony before John Cruikshank, examiner, ordered taken. Bramhall vs. Button; commissioner to get

CIRCUTE COURT—DIV. 1—Chief Justice Bingham.—Carter, Rice & Co. vs. Blair, and Petilt & Dripps vs. Case; judgment by default. Taulman vs. Ross; trial re CRIMINAL COURT-Justice Montgor

Dorsey Super, murder of James Payne; plea not guilty. Dorsey Pultz and John Barnes, assault to kill; plea not guilty, both. Benjamin Thomas, James Jones and both. Benjamin Thomas, James Jones and Monroe Trice, larceny; plea not guilty, all. Alice Stewart, larceny; plea not guilty, Ralph Hunter, assault to kill; plea not guilty. Charles Jackson, housebreaking; plea not guilty. Henry Foster, harceny from the person; plea not guilty. Walter S. Whitcomb, alias, etc., false pretenses; plea not guilty. George W. Bunker's Will.

The will of George W. Bunker, the late

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

An Unusually Large Number of Pack-

People all over the city, and no doubt all over the country, had to wait a little longer than usual for their mail this morning on account of its being St Valentine's Day. The Postoffice authorities had to handle an unusual num ber of packages and last night they had to work an hour longer, but the glu was finally broken.

But, though the carriers started on

their rounds considerably carlier than the accustomed time, they did not finish their delivery as soon as on other days. There is not so much extra work days. There is not so much extra work this season, however, as in previous years. The custom is dying out to a certain extent, and, though the ladies may be sorry, the young men who have to buy the expensive nothings are pleased and the Postoffice authorities

pleased and the Postoffice authorities are entirely satisfied.

"I can well remember the time," said an old carrier, "when the increase in mail matter on the 14th of February would scriously derange the mails for a week, but the rage seems to be subsiding. Each year it appears to grow less popular, and I shouldn't wonder if it would cease altogether. There's no fun in sending the things through the mails, anyhow," he growled.

"Why can't they do as I did when a boy. How's that? Why, carry them around to the doors after dark! Yes, and sometimes after people were in and sometimes after people were in bed, and knock them up, while you stand across the street and laugh at the

STEVENSON OPPOSED.

The Bar Association of this District yesterday passed resolutions which, in effect, opposed the confirmation of Assistant Postmaster-General Stevenson for the vacancy on the District Bench. The resolutions were drawn by Mr. John Seldon, and after their adoption a committee of seven was appointed to place them before the Judiciary Com-

mittee in Congress.

It was distinctly stated, however, that there was nothing uncomplimentary to Mr. Stevenson in them. On the conarr, stevenson in them. On the con-trary, there were numerous expressions of the highest personal esteem, the-position taken by the Bar Association being that the administration of justice demanded the appointment of a Dis-trict man. Early in President Cleve-land's administration the Bar Associa-tion made known to him their desire tion made known to him their desire that District men be placed in the judiciary as vacancies arise. The ap-pointments made by President Cleve-land have been Judge Merrick of Mary-land, Judge Montgomery of Michigan and Judge Bingham of Ohio.

Inauguration Notes.

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The Conway Republican Club of the Sixteenth Ward, Baltimore, seventy-five men, has asked for a place in the Inauguration parade.

Florist J. B. Neale of New York, who is going to furnish the decorations for the Inauguration ball-room, was at Inauguration headquarters to-day.

Chief Engineer Parris will furnish a company of fifteen firemen to be on duty at the Inauguration Ball, and to fill their places the following additional firemen will be employed from March 2 to March 7: Samuel Bolt, John R. Gray, W. R. Downey, J. W. Thompson, Wm. Ellis, Robert B. Sword, Charles Snyder, Wallace Jackson, Douglass Leeman, J. W. Sorrell, Charles Lang, Henry Miller, P. Niland, J. J. Purcell and John Sullivan.

The chairman of the Civic Organizations

The chairman of the Civic Organizations Committee has requested each of the State associations in the District to appoint a

The rates for carriage hire for the ball have been arranged. Herdic cabs \$5; coupes, \$4; hansom cabs, \$3; two-horse conveyances as agreed upon between owner and hirer, but the price is not to exceed \$10. The number of military organizations that have been assigned to positions in the parade up to date is eighty, and includes 16,000 men. One hundred and forty-four civic organ-

izations, numbering 20,698 men, have reported for assignment to positions in the Captain F. M. Ramsey will assume com mand of the Brooklyn Navy-Yard, the posttion recently varied by Rear Admiral Sherardi, who is on his way to succeed Admiral Luce in command of the North

Atlantic Squadron.

Commodore George E. Belknap has been detached from the command of the Marc Island Navy-Yard and ordered to assume command of the Asiatle Squadron, succeeding Admiral Chandler, who died a few days are

Assistant Surgeon Cowles F. Stokes has been ordered to the receiving ship Minne-Lieutenant Conway II. Arnold has been detached from the navy yard, New York, and ordered to duty at the North Atlantic

Assistant Engineer W. F. C. Hasson has been ordered to duty in the Bureau of Steam Engineering and Assistant EngineerC. A. E. King to the navy-yard, Norfolk, Va. Assistant Engineer J. R. Salisbury ha-been detuched from the navy-yard, New York, and ordered to the Chicago.

Assistant Engineer L. D. Minor has been detached from the navy-yard, Norfolk, Va., and ordered to duty at the University of Michigan, at Ann Harbor. Assistant Engineer W. D. Weaver has been detached from duty in the Bureau of Steam Engineering and ordered to duty at the navy-yard, New York.

Served for Over Twenty Years. Arthur Simmons, the accommodating nies the report that he intends resigning when General Harrison comes in on the 4th of March. Arthur says he's willing to serve "Ege" just as faithfully as he has Colonel Lamont. Arthur will have filled his present position on the 22d instant just twenty-four years.

Siashed With a Razor. Billy Mitchell and Charley Hopkin quarrelled at Thirteen-and-a-half and D quarreled at Infreed-and-and and streets last evening. Hopkins was a trifle the quicker to get his razor out, and he cut Billy in the arm and in the face, almost severing Billy's lower lip. Billy went to the Emergency Hospital and Dr. Gill sewed up his face after which, his brother took him

Norwood Osborn, Newark, N. J., and Myrto Bryant, city; Frank Blackston,

Bryant, city; Frank Blackston,
Baltimore, Md., and Isabel Hamilton, city;
John W. Boves and Katherine Seager;
David Moore and Mary Sayles; Androw
E. Jones and Elvie Downing, Hanover
County, Va.; Wm. H. Gooding and Cecelia
Wells; W. A. Richardson and Mary E.
Campbell.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 14.-A funeral occssion in this city was, a few days ago, delayed for nearly an hour on account of delayed for nearly an hour on account of the refusal of the members of the Brooklyn Cab Drivers' Union to proceed while one of the coaches in line was driven by a non-union man. The coach in question was one owned by Michael Zerkel, who, it appears, is being boycotted for having discharged four drivers for joining the union. Finally the objectionable coach was removed from the procession and the funeral proceeded. proprietor of the Dunbarton, has been filed-with the Register. He leaves all his prop-erty to his wife.

Tribute of Respect.

Crowds Come to Pay Their Last

BRIEF AND SIMPLE SERVICES.

Black. THE "LAST CALL" AT THE GRAVE. expect the House of Magnates to lighten my task by their traditional loyalty and

The funeral of the late General Henry J. Hunt took place from the governor's residence at the Soldiers' Home this Delaware Growers Organizing to Fight morning. The roads about the grounds were completely blocked with the carriages of the numerous friends, who had | hundred peach growers gathered yestercome to pay a last tribute of respect to the memory of the dead soldier. The against the spread of peach yellow. funeral services were held in the draw- Dr. Hugh Martin presided, with Proing-rooms, Father Chapelle of St. Mat-

thew's officiating. They were made very brief at the request of the family. Mrs. Hunt was unable to come down stairs, having been confined to her room since the death of her husband. The services were concluded at account of the control cluded at noon and the coffin was then raised to the shoulders of eight stalwart sergeants of the regular army. It was preceded by the honorable pall-bearers, who were General John M. Schoffeld, General Joseph E. Johnston, General W. H. Rosecrans, Colonel E. McKay Hud-son, General L. K. Graham and Gen-eral R. V. Hagner. As the coffin left the house the friends of the family fell in behind and the cortege moved slowly

toward Rock!Creek Cametery, where the interment was made.

The inmates of the home lined the

The inhales of the none thed the path to the grave and saluted the remains as they were carried past.

The buildings were draped with black, and all of the flags were at half mast. The services at the grave were brief, and when the priest had finished reading, the leader of the band stepped to the foot of the grave and played "The Last Call." Then the old veterans formed in line again and marched back to the home. Among the prominent persons present were General Bancroft, General Johnson of the army, General Wilson, Captain Taylor and Lieutenant Duval.

A CRISIS IN FRANCE.

The Ministry is Defeated and Re-Pants, Feb. 14 .- The Ministry has resigned. Premier Floquet brought up the question of the revision of the constitution to-day in the Chamber of Deputies. The Deputies voted to adjourn. The Ministry resigned. The

vote against the government was 307 to 218. "POOR LO" IN A BAD WAY.

A Fearful Epidemic Amongst the Manitoba Indians. WINNIPEG, MAN., Feb. 14.-The iews received last week of the breaking out of an epidemic of a most virulent character among the Indians of Cold Lake has been confirmed and the condition of the sufferers is worse than was at first reported. Indian Agent Mann of Onion Lake and Sergeant Hall of the mounted police went up to in-

their visit thirty deaths had occurred, and on the date they reached the afflicted settlement six more were added to the list. The Indians on the Battle River reserve are suffering greatly from an affection of the throat and neck, which prevents them from swallowing food. The only food they can take is boiled rice and other soft articles of diet. Gold Lake lies 103 miles northwest of Battleford, on the north side of the Saskatchewan River. The complete extermination of the tribe

FIRE-EATING ROULANGER.

The French General Had Nothing to Say Himself. PARIS, Feb. 14.-With reference to the assertion that General Boulanger wanted President Grevy to sign a decree for the mobilization of the army at the time of the Schnaebele excitement in 1887, M. Flourens states positively that Boulanger's attitude at this anxious period, when the government learned that Germany contemplated the mobilization of 70,000 troops in Alsace-Lorraine, left nothing to be desired. General Bouanger, M. Flourens says, sent M. De roulede and others who spoke to him on the subject to Premier Goblet, refus-

ing to discuss the matter himself. The Waverly and New York Road. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—The Pennsylvania Railroad has taken out a charter for a line in New Jersey that will shorten the route for through freight to New York. route for through freight to New York. It is called the Waverly and New York Railroad, and will run from Waverly Station, midway between Newark and Elizabeth, across the Newark Meadow and across Bergen Point to the National Docks at Jersey City. Its construction will also enable the Pennsylvania to abandon running freight trains through the city of Newark, relieving the pressure of traffic at that point. It may also be used for through express passenger trafus. through express passenger trains.

Destroyed by Fire. NEW BEDFORD, MASS., Feb. 14.-The clothing store of P. O. Gallup was burned early this morning. Loss on stock, \$20,000; m building, about \$9,000. Both losses are covered by insurance.
Nonwich, Coss., Feb. 14.—The old
Park homestead, in Preston, the birthplace
of Chief Justice John D. Park of Connecticut, was burned, with its contents,
yesterday. Loss, \$3,000; insurance, \$1,000.

More Money for Panama. Parts, Feb. 14.-M. De Lesseps, In a cir ular, informs the holders of Panama Canal shares that new bonds will be issued in order to provide capital for the improvement of the canal works. For every three-shares they possess, holders will have the right to claim one new three per cent bond of the nominal value of 500 francs. The issue price will be 410 francs. The subscription list will open on March 1, and close on March 9. A Train Goes Through a Bridge. DUBUQUE, IOWA, Feb. 14 .- Yesterday

cars, bound East over the Illinois Central Road, went through a bridge near Delaware. Four cars of sheep, six cars of cattle and one car of hogs went into the stream. The cugine passed over safely. The road was blocked for twelve hours. A Reception to McAuliffe.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.-Jack McAuliffe is expected here to-night. His friends in Wilelected John W. Scott of the Chicago Her-ald president of the association. liamsburgh have arranged to give him a

SYMPACHY FOR THE KING. The Burgarain Dist Condoles With

Longwoor Lanneis Joseph. Piesrie, Pen. 14. -- Emperor Francis who presented him with resolutions of condolence phosed by their respective thruses. In reply to to the remarks of the president of the upper house the Emperor said: My trust in the Almighty, the tirm support afforded me by my below I wife and the heartfelt sympachics of my peoples afford massiving the tability duties as a ruler.

to assist me to realize my intentions.

Doven, Del., Feb. 14.—Nearly two day afternoon to talk over legislation fessor Webb as secretary. The pending Sackett bill gave the cue to the debate. This bill, which applies to Sussex and the lower third of Kent County contemplates the destruction of diseased trees and prohibits the marketing of their fruit. Professor Erwin F. Smith partment addressed the meeting.

After much controversy the meeting

endersed the bill as it stands. STEALING COPPER PIGS.

A Series of Successful Thefts from a Raitroad Company. BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 14.—One of the biggest railroad robberies in Buffalo for some time has been reported by the D., L. and W. police to the city police. For a long time pigs of copper have been missing from the D., L. and W. warehouse, at the foot of Main street. An investigation a day or two ago re-

suited in the discovery that forty-two pigs of copper had been stolen, amounting in value to over \$500. CHANGES AT PRINCETON.

The Board of Trustees' Meeting To-Day. PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 14.-The second winter meeting of the board of trustees of Princeton College will be held to-day. Considerable interest is manifested by the friends of the college as to the outcome of the meeting, as plans for several new buildings, among them a dormitory and a chemical lab-oratory, are to be considered. It is thought that some improvements will

e made in the curriculum. BASEBALL IN THE COLLISEUM.

Permission Given for a Game in the Noble Ruins. ROME, Feb. 14.-The Government consented to give the use of the Colliseum to the American baseball players, but it has been found that the dangerous state of the galleries precludes the idea of playing in the arena. Doubts are expressed whether the police regulations of Rome resulting from the recent riots will prevent the Americans playing here. The teams arrived at Brindisi on Friday.

RELIGIOUS LITERATURE. Meeting of the M. E. Book Committee

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.-The Book Committee of the Methodist Episcopal Church commenced their annual session yesterday. They will be in session to-day and probably to-morrow. The Rev. Amos Shinkle, chairman, pre-Rev. Amos Shinkle, chairman, sided. Bishop Andrews of New Bishop Foster of Boston, Bishop Hurs of Washington, Bishop Foss of St. Paul and Bishop Joyce of Chattanooga

were present. Arrested for Embezzlement. Lowell, Mass., Feb. 14 -- Jeremie Daig nault, aged 46, a French-Canadian and expert business man, was arrested in Pawtucketville last night for embezzling \$4,000 from shom he was agent in the sale of hemlocs hark. Daignault carried on his operations with confidence, under the impression that he could not be prosecuted here.

Indiana's Geologist.

Indianapolis, Feb. 14 .- The bill providing for the election by the Legislature of a State geologist, and the appointment by him of a mine inspector, natural gas in-spector and coal oil inspector, all of whom have heretofore been appointed by the Gov-ernor, was finally, passed by a strict party vote in the Legislature yesterday.

The Empress to Turn Authoress. BERLIN, Feb. 14 .- It is stated that Empress Frederick, after a short stay in Berlin, will remove her court to Friedrichsdorf, spending a part of the year there and the remainder abroad. Empress Frederick is about to compile the memoirs of her late husband, which will make four octavo vol-

LONDON, Feb. 14 .- Mr. Chamberlain was guest of the Ginsgow Liberal Club last evening. Commenting upon the inactivity of the Liberals, he said that the harves

Mr. Chamberlain Dined.

was ripe, only the reapers failing. They had not disagreed on all points of the Irish CHICAGO, Feb. 14.-The association of Western packers of canned goods met here in annual session yesterday with 112 members present. President William M. Ballinger in his annual address recommended that steps be taken to decrease the output as there is too much cannel goods on the

The West Point Terminal.

market.

RICHMOND, VA., Feb. 14.—Attorney General Ayers has decided not to apply to the city Circuit Court for a writ of quwarranto to determine whether or not the West Point Terminal Company have a right, under its charter, to purchase the line of railway that it has acquired.

For the Light-Weight Championship. NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Billy Dacey, the sugilist, wrote to the New York Illustrated Fines yesterday challenging either Jack McAuliffe or Billy Myers for a battle to de-termine the light-weight championship of the world. He will meet the first man who responds under any rules. Lumber at Auction,

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Feb. 14.-The first the Williamsport Lumber Company, took place here yesterday, being the largest auc-tion sale of lumber ever made here. Over 15,000,000 feet were sold. Newspaper Publishers' Association. NEW YORK, Feb. 14 .- The American

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

Parnell's Letter Brought Before the Commission.

A DEAD WOMAN'S MONEY.

Meeting of the Methodist Book Concern in New York City To-day. GEN. BOULANGER'S NEW PLANS.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The Parnell Commission resumed its session to-day. Mr. Seames, solicitor for the Times, was examined. He produced five letters, alleged to have been written by Mr. Parnell, including a fac simile of another letter. He said he had obtained

them from the manager of the Times. The letters, he stated, were submitted The letters, he stated, were submitted to an expert in April, 1887.

Hefore that time genuine specimens of Mr. Parnell's handwriting were collected, and other specimens had been collected since then. The witness said he had submitted the genuine specimens of Mr. Parnell's signature singly. Solicitor Scames said that when he discovered the Parnell letters he also came across documents which he supposed.

covered the Parnell letters he also came across documents which he supposed were Patrick Egan's.

Three of Egan's letters, he said, were found at Carcy's house, where two letters in the handwriting of Henry Campbell, Mr. Parnell's private secretary, were also discovered. Sir Charles Russell. Parnellite counsel here, said: "We are only able now to take a cursory glance at these documents, but the Court must not assume that all will be unquestioned.

THE NEW CONSTITUTION.

General Boulanger is Going to Take a Hand in the Discussion. Paris, Feb. 14.-Premier Floquet, in the proposal which he will submit to the Chamber of Deputies, avoids specifying a scheme for the revision of the constitution, simply declaring that a revision is advisable. M. de Lanessan moves an amendment that 'in view of moves an amendment that 'in view of the fact that a revision can be usefully effected only by a constituent assembly especially elected, the Chamber decides to refer the revision to such assembly." The party of the Right has decided to vote for M. de Lanessan's amendment, which will also have the support of the "anneal to the neonle". The

"appeal to the people" party. The Radical Left, after a protracted meet-ing, agreed to support M. Floquet. General Boulanger will take part in A DEAD WOMAN'S MONEY.

Disappointed Heirs Trying to Break a Millionairess' Will. PLAINFIELD, IND., Feb. 14 .- Two caveats have been filed against the probate of the will of Sarah J. Lattimer, the millionairess, one by Carmon Parse. cashier of the First National Bank, and the other by W. E. Gardner in behalf of Jerusalem Lodge, F. and A. M. The former was executor and the latter legatee under a previous will, which was destroyed. The new will was made within a few days of the testa-trix's death. Undue influence is alleged, and the suits will involve many

prominent persons. A million dollars is at issue. QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 14.-The Cunard Line steamship Samarita, which sailed from Liverpool for Boston February 7, arrived here to-day in tow of the steamer Olbers, The Samarita broke her shaft on the 10th

tant, when three hundred miles fr

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. The Stock and Money Market. New York, Feb. 14.—1:30 p. m.—Money, 2 per cent. Exchange steady; posted rates, 486;46489; actual rates, 486;496; for sixty days and 488;46488? for demand. Governments steady; currency 68, 120 bid; 48, coupon, 128; bid; 4;8, do., 109 bid. The stock market onened firm and under The stock market opened firm and under the lead of the Vanderbilts and a few other looling stocks prices advanced slightly througaout the morning, and at the present writing values are i to li per cent. higher than they closed last night.

The New York Stocke. The following are the prices of the New York and Chicago markets as reported by special wire to C. T. Havenner & Co., 621 F street northweet:

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The Chicago Market.

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Miscellaneous Bonds—W. & G. R. R. Co., 108; Masonic Hall Ase'u, 104; Wash, Market Co., 117; Wash, Light Infantry, 1st, 98; Wash, Light Infantry, 24, 60; Wash, Gis Light Co., 1213; Wash, Gas Serip, 122; National Bank, Stocks—Hank of Wash, 825; Bank of Republic, 189; Metropolitan, 200; Central, 210; Second, 1512; Farmers' and Mechanics', 105; Citizens', 125; Columbia, 1284.

and Mechanics', 195; Crizcus', 126; Columbia, 128).

Railroad Stocks—Washington & Georgetown, 216; Metropolitan, 1102; Columbia, 31; Cap. & North O st., 37.

Insurance Stocks—Firemen's, 392; Franklin, 41; Metropolitan, 75; National Union, 19; Arlington, 188; Corcoran, 61; Columbia, 138; German-American, 187; Potomac, 85; liggs, S.
Gas and Electric Light Stocks—Wash-ngton Gas, 41; Georgetown Gas, 46; U.
Electric Light 58.
Telephone Stocks—Chesapeake & Poto-

ac. 191. Miscellaneous Stocks—Washington Mar-Miscellaneous Stocks—Washington Mar-ket Co., 16; Washington Brick Machina Co., 20s; National Press Brick Co., —; Great Falls Ice Co., 148; Bull Run Pano-rama Co., 24; Real Estate Title Insurance Co., 1164; National Safe Deposit Co., —; American Graphophone Co., 19; Columbia Title Insurance Company, 52.

Local Weather Indications. Pair; warmer; variable winds